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Applicant: Antonio L. P. Rotondaro

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For: METHOD TO IMPROVE THE UNIFORMITY AND REDUCE THE SURFACE ROUGHNESS
OF THE SILICON DIELECTRIC INTERFACE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 30, 2002, in connection with the
above identified application, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments
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